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REMARKS

Claims 1-16 remain pending. No amendments thereto are being made. Amendments to the specification, explained more fully below, are being made. Reconsideration and continued prosecution of the present application is respectfully requested.

Objection to the Specification

The Office Action objected to the specification because the abstract of the disclosure contains legalese language ("comprising").

In response, Applicants have amended the abstract of the disclosure to avoid the objected-to term. No new matter has been added.

Other Amendments

The Office Action also requested Applicants' cooperation in correcting any other errors in the specification.

In response, the undersigned has again reviewed the application, and identified some minor omissions or inconsistencies in the specification and drawings, to wit:

(1) Reference numeral 84 appears in FIG. 9 but not in the description of that figure. Therefore, the amendment above to the paragraph on page 12 is being made to insert the missing reference numeral.

(2) FIG. 15 includes reference numerals 312 and 314 that were not mentioned in the specification. It is plain to see from the drawing itself, and in view of similar structures appearing in other figures (e.g. FIGS. 1, 5, 6, 7, 9), that 312 refers to an LED and 314 refers to a heat sink on which the LED is mounted. This description has therefore been made explicit in the amendment to the paragraph bridging pages 27-28.

(3) The same paragraph (the one bridging pages 27-28) also erroneously refers to "optically transparent material" with reference numeral 310, previously used to identify the entire phosphor based light source. The amendment changes the reference numeral to 318, consistent with the figure. Note that optically transparent material 318 is used in both the phosphor-reflector component 311 and the LED component 309.

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Support for the amendments can be found in the application-as-filed as explained above.
No new matter has been added.

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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, the application is submitted to be in condition for allowance, the early indication of which is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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